

To whom this may concern:

I am a satellite radio subscriber and listener. I get a great deal of enjoyment from satellite radio and the programming it offers. Satellite radio provides variety and quality that are not available elsewhere. I have satellite radio for the same reason I have satellite TV. It is the communication method of the future and it would be a shame to see new technology stifled because old technology can't compete. Like the music industry and the Napster dispute, lets get both sides working together achieve a mutually benefit to listeners. I am a realtor and I spend a great deal of time in my car. I would benefit greatly from local traffic and weather services if offered. I pay for these services and therefore it should not be up to the National Association of Broadcasters to dictate what I am permitted to hear. I respectfully urge the FCC to reject the NAB's petition 04-160 and support XM's ability to provide the kind of programming that I demand and deserve.

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